

4 Complete the sentences with the verbs in brackets in the past simple or past continuous


- 1 The teacher arrived (arrive) while we were copying (copy) our homework.
- 2 The dog _____ (run) around the park when it _____ (see) the cat.
- 3 My baby brother _____ (cry) all morning until we _____ (turn on) the TV.
- 4 While Susan _____ (study), her phone _____ (ring).
- 5 Somebody _____ (pick up) my phone while I _____ (not look).
- 6 What other animals _____ you _____ (see) when the lions _____ (sleep)?
- 7 The children _____ (cry) a lot while we _____ (look after) them.

4 **Circle** the correct option, A, B, C or D.

- 1 Last summer I hurt my leg when I was _____.
A run B runned C ran **D running**
- 2 My teachers ____ correcting our exams all day yesterday.
A were B was C to D to be
- 3 He wasn't swimming, he was ____ in the field!
A walking B to walk C walking D walk
- 4 Were you ____ mountains last weekend?
A climb B climbed C climbing D climbbing

6 Complete Hannah's email with the correct verb and in the correct form.

be buy climb do shop swim wear

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Subject: _____
From: _____
To: _____
Date: _____

Hi Fabia,
I was busy every day last week. On Monday, we went to the mountains and we were¹ climbing and then skiing all day. Tuesday was boring because I² _____ studying. On Friday, my parents had a surprise for me. We went to the city centre and I was³ _____ with my mum for five hours. It was amazing. I⁴ _____ gloves, scarves and boots for the winter but yesterday I was⁵ _____ my swimsuit all day and I was⁶ _____ in the river near my house.
What⁷ _____ you _____ yesterday?
Hannah

3 Put the verb in brackets into the past simple or past continuous and then match the sentences.

- 1** When I was getting _____ G
- 2** When we arrived at the _____
- 3** Jack broke his leg while he _____
- 4** My sister turned off the _____
- 5** I was playing computer games last _____
- 6** The monkeys _____
- 7** The lion was drinking water when _____
- A** TV while I _____ (watch) it!
- B** the mouse _____ (appear).
- C** _____ (play) football in the park.
- D** night when my friend _____ (phone) me.
- E** _____ (pick up) bananas when I arrived.
- F** zoo, the elephants were _____ (eat).
- G** on the bus, a dog *bit* _____ (bite) me.